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DAREDEVIL

THE MAN WITHOUT FEAR!

HE'S DOWN!
DAREDEVIL
WAS CAUGHT--
IN THAT
**BOMB
BLAST!**

MARVEL
COMICS
GROUP

WE
PEACE
NOW!

AND IF HE
DIES...
YOU KIDS GET
THE **CHAIR!!**

A CITY IN
TURMOIL--
A CITY IN
FLAME!

DAREDEVIL, THE MAN WITHOUT FEAR!™

STAN
LEE
PRESENTS

A STORY BY
GARY
FRIEDRICH

ILLUSTRATED BY
GENE
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SHORES

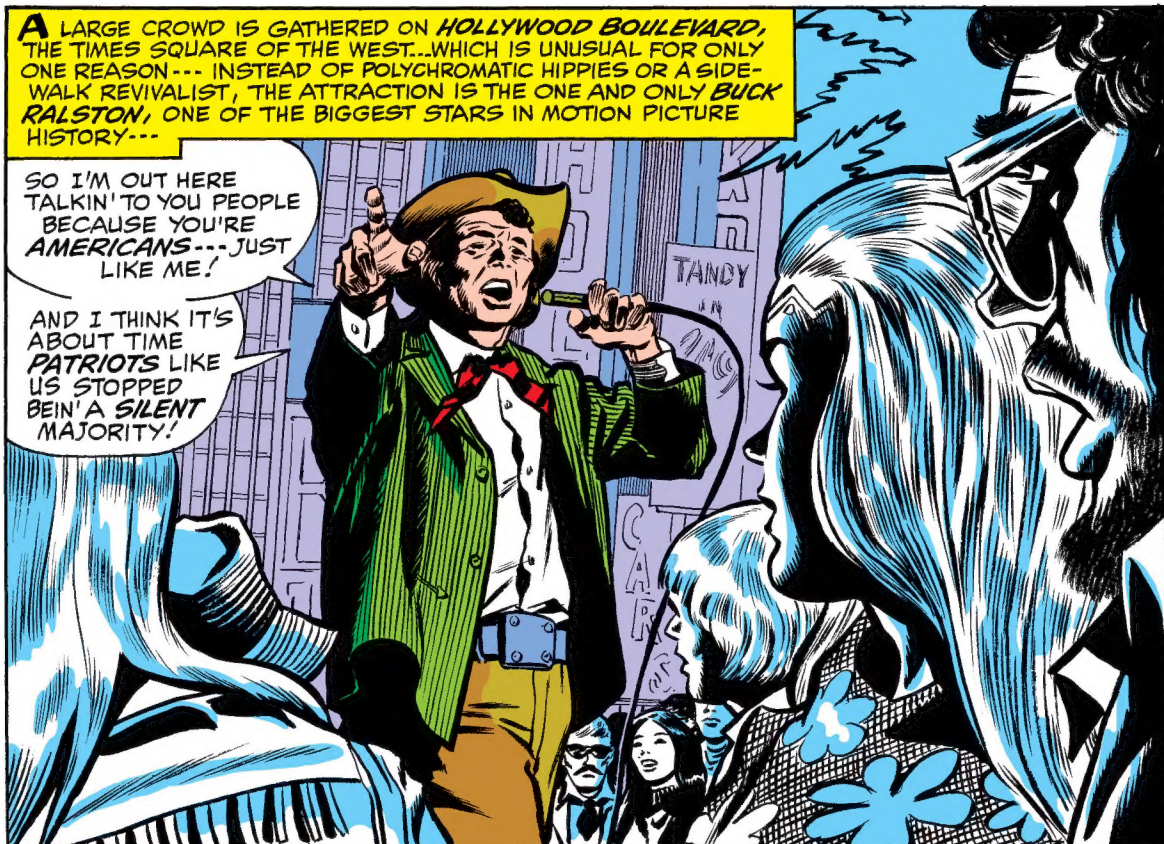
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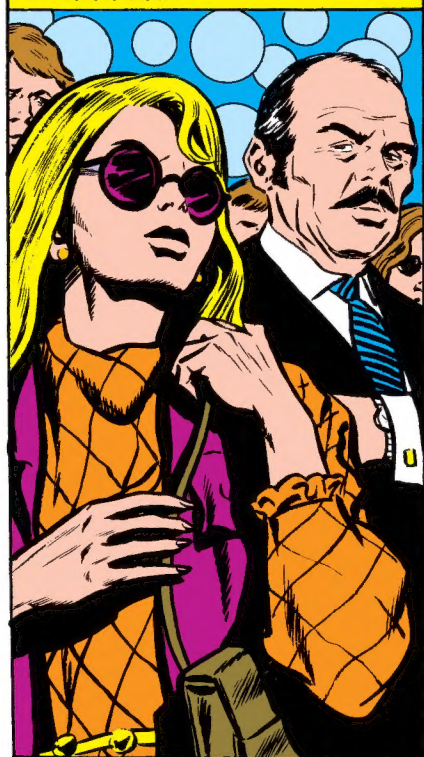
A LARGE CROWD IS GATHERED ON **HOLLYWOOD BOULEVARD**, THE TIMES SQUARE OF THE WEST...WHICH IS UNUSUAL FOR ONLY ONE REASON --- INSTEAD OF POLYCHROMATIC HIPPIES OR A SIDE-WALK REVIVALIST, THE ATTRACTION IS THE ONE AND ONLY **BUCK RALSTON**, ONE OF THE BIGGEST STARS IN MOTION PICTURE HISTORY---

SO I'M OUT HERE
TALKIN' TO YOU PEOPLE
BECAUSE YOU'RE
AMERICANS--- JUST
LIKE ME!

AND I THINK IT'S
ABOUT TIME
PATRIOTS LIKE
US STOPPED
BEIN' A **SILENT**
MAJORITY!



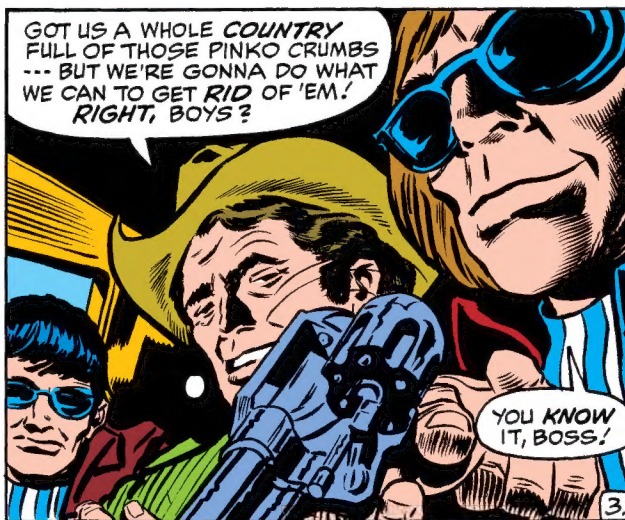
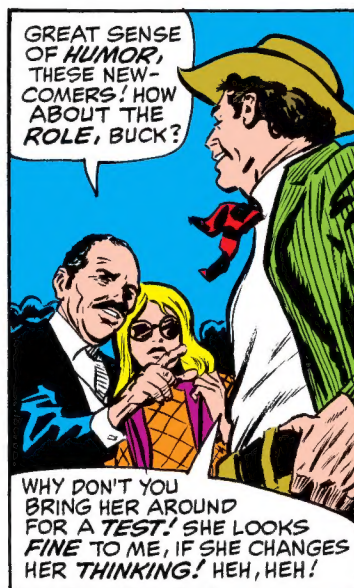
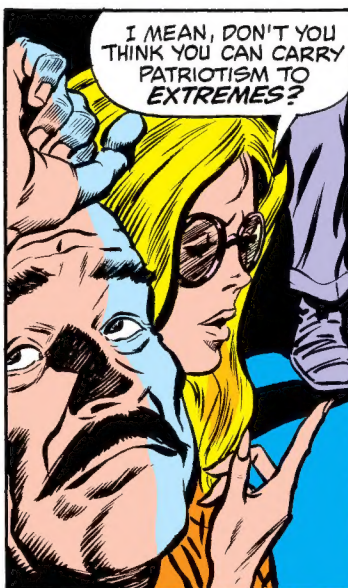
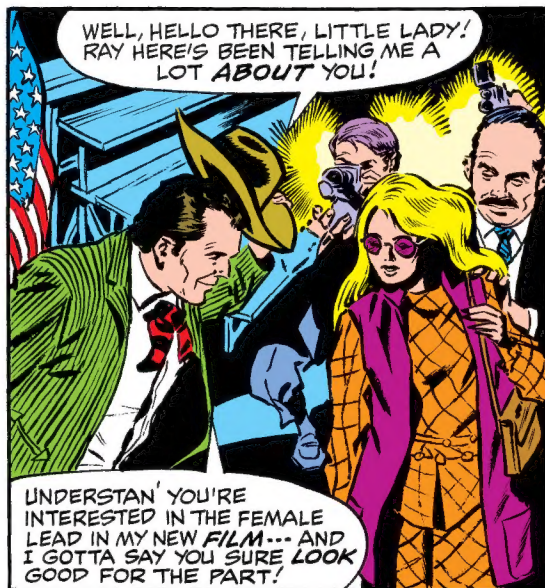
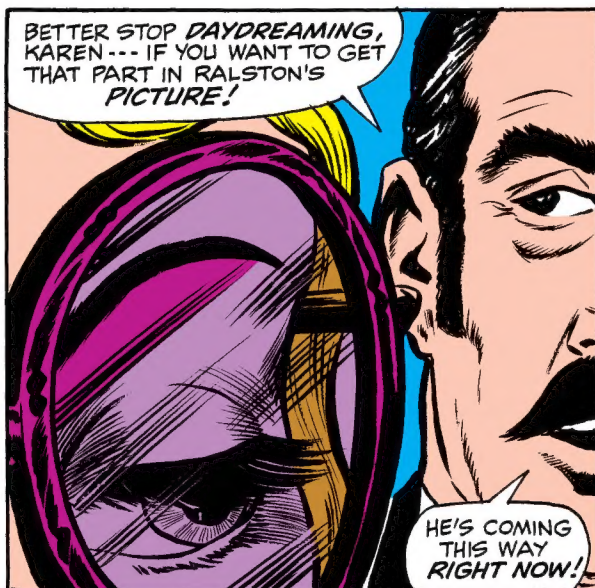
BUT WHILE THE MULTITUDE HANGS ON RALSTON'S EVERY WORD, THERE IS ONE WHOSE MIND IS ELSEWHERE ---



OH, MATT... WHY HAVEN'T I
HEARD FROM YOU ? YOU
COULD AT LEAST CALL ---

... OR MAYBE YOU'RE
TOO BUSY BEING
DAREDEVIL!

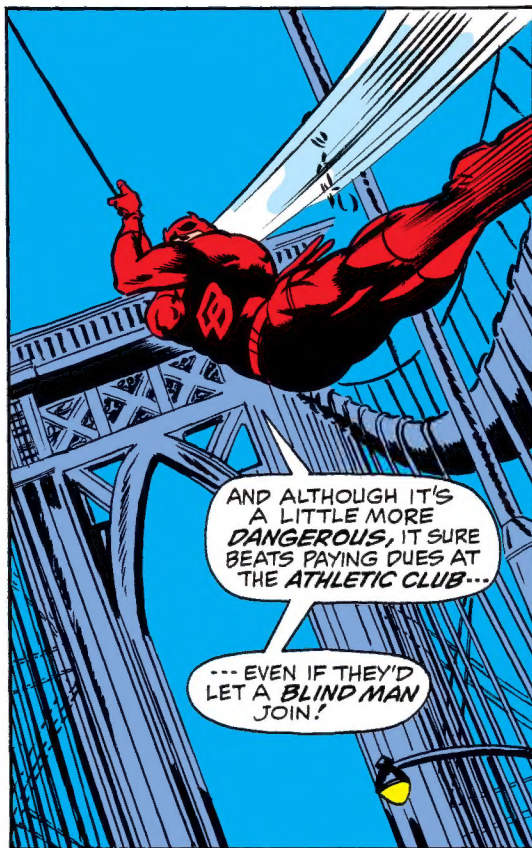




BUT, WHILE AN AGING MOVIE STAR WAXES POLITICAL PHILOSOPHY, LET'S SHAG 3,000 MILES EAST AND GET IN ON THE SOMEWHAT MORE STIMULATING SCENE OF A CERTAIN *MAN WITHOUT FEAR* DOING HIS THING HIGH ABOVE THE ROOFTOPS OF *NEW YORK*...

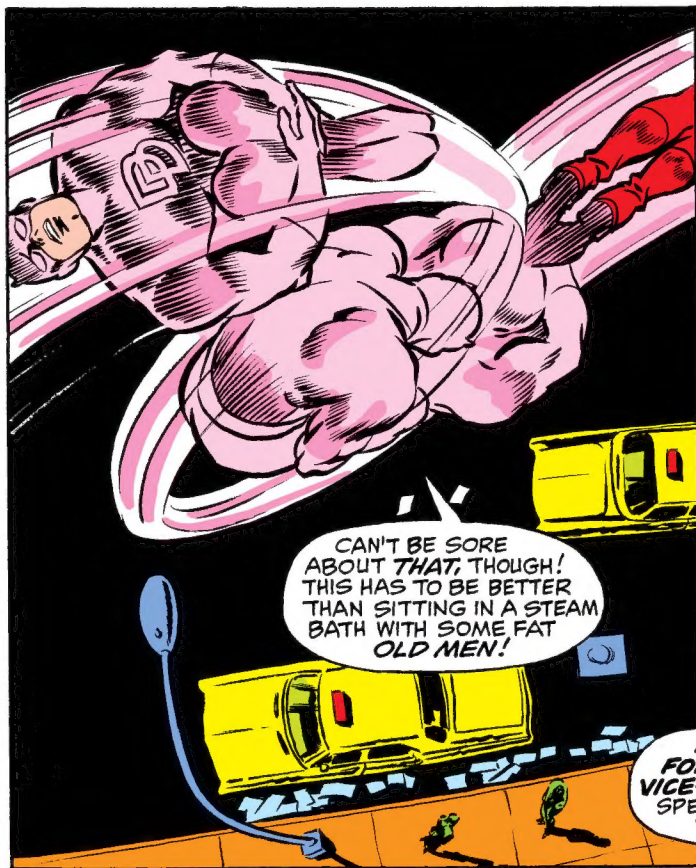


NOTHING LIKE A QUICK *WORKOUT* TO FORGET THE DOLDRUMS OF A HO-HUM DAY IN THE OLD *LAW OFFICE*!



AND ALTHOUGH IT'S A LITTLE MORE *DANGEROUS*, IT SURE BEATS PAYING DUES AT THE *ATHLETIC CLUB*...

... EVEN IF THEY'D LET A *BLIND MAN* JOIN?



CAN'T BE SORE ABOUT *THAT*, THOUGH! THIS HAS TO BE BETTER THAN SITTING IN A STEAM BATH WITH SOME FAT *OLD MEN*!

SPEAKING OF *AGE*, I MUST BE GETTING OLD MYSELF... A LITTLE SHORT OF *BREATH* AFTER THAT! I--

WHAT'S THE MOB SCENE ABOUT DOWN AT THE *N.Y. HILTON*?

AHH! I *FORGOT*! THE *VICE-PRESIDENT'S* SPEAKING THERE TONIGHT!



HEY, THERE'S THE **VEEP** NOW! THEY'RE **SNEAKING** HIM IN THE **BACK WAY**!

SURE HOPE HE DOESN'T HAVE HIS **TENNIS RACKET** WITH HIM!



OH, WELL, POLITICS ISN'T **MY BAG**! I'LL LEAVE THAT UP TO **FOGGY**! GUESS I MIGHT AS WELL SWING ON **HOME**!



ALL THOSE PROTESTERS OUT IN FRONT COULD CAUSE SOME **TROUBLE**---BUT THEY DON'T SOUND LIKE THE **VIOLENT** TYPE---THEY JUST WANT SOMEBODY TO **LISTEN** TO THEM---**ANYBODY**!

SO I'M GONNA GO HOME AND BE GOOD LIKE A **DAREDEVIL** SHOULD! IT MAY BE BAD GRAMMAR--- BUT IF IT'S GOOD ENOUGH FOR **WINSTON**---



THEN, FIVE HIGH-FLYING MINUTES **LATER**---

SO MUCH FOR THAT! ANOTHER DAY **SHOT**... UNLESS I CALL **KAREN**---

BUT I **CAN'T** CALL HER! AFTER ALL, SHE RAN OUT ON **ME**!

AND A SUPERHERO --- EVEN A **LOVESICK** ONE --- HAS TO HAVE **SOME PRIDE**!



PHEW! WORKED UP SOME KIND OF A **SWEAT** OUT THERE! MAYBE I'D BETTER SWITCH TO **RIGHT GUARD!** ONE SHOT AND I'M GOOD FOR--

AH, WHY TRY TO CHEER MYSELF UP? THERE'S ONLY ONE THING THAT'LL DO THAT!

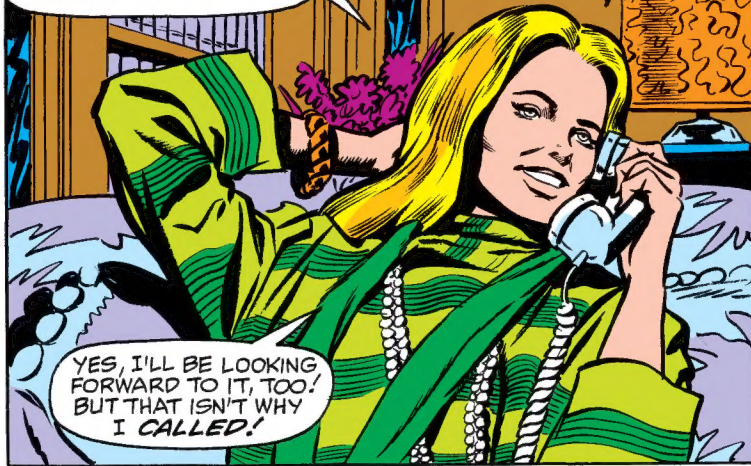


RING!



YOU HAVE TWO SECONDS TO GUESS WHAT RAVISHING HOLLYWOOD STARLET THIS IS--- AND YOU ONLY GET ONE GUESS!

LUCKY! YOU CAN COLLECT YOUR PRIZE NEXT TIME YOU SEE ME!

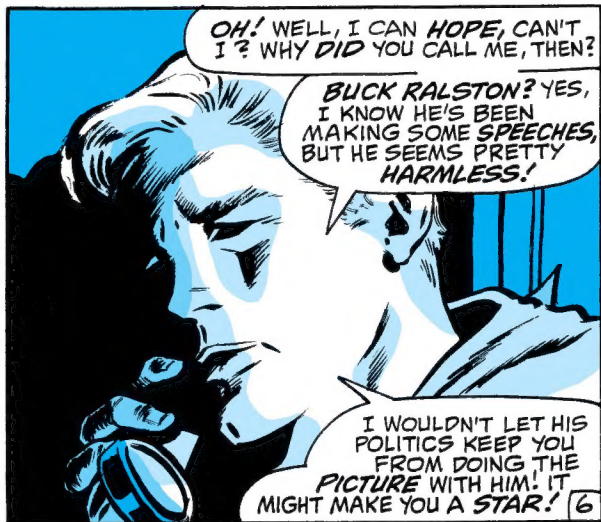


YES, I'LL BE LOOKING FORWARD TO IT, TOO! BUT THAT ISN'T WHY I CALLED!



I BELIEVE YOU! YOU CALLED TO SAY YOU CAN'T LIVE WITHOUT ME, AND YOU'RE COMING HOME ON THE NEXT PLANE!

RIGHT?

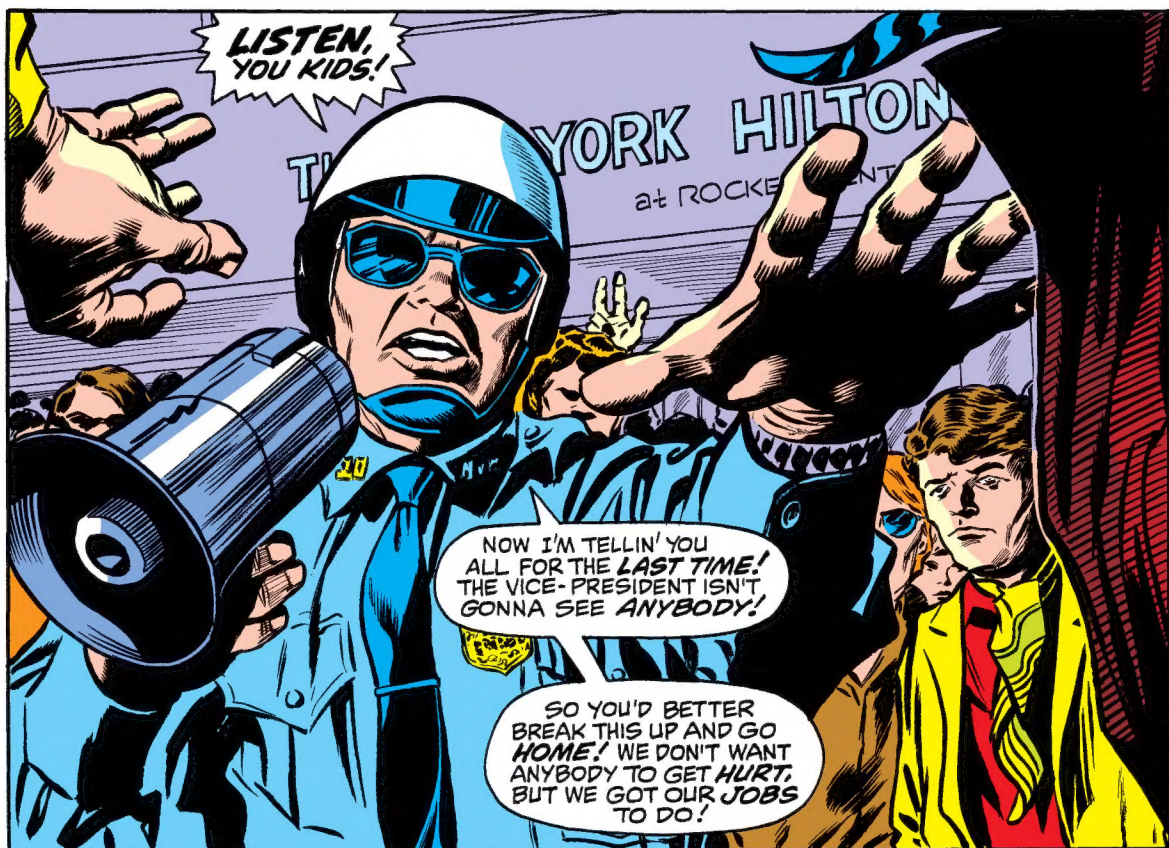


OH! WELL, I CAN HOPE, CAN'T I? WHY DID YOU CALL ME, THEN?

BUCK RALSTON? YES, I KNOW HE'S BEEN MAKING SOME **SPEECHES**, BUT HE SEEMS PRETTY **HARMLESS!**

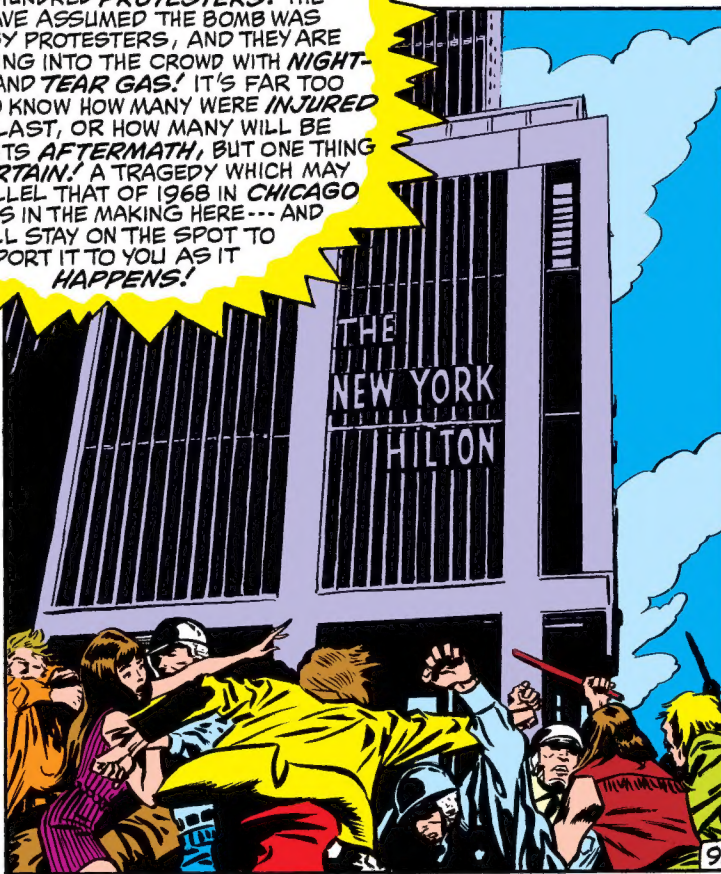
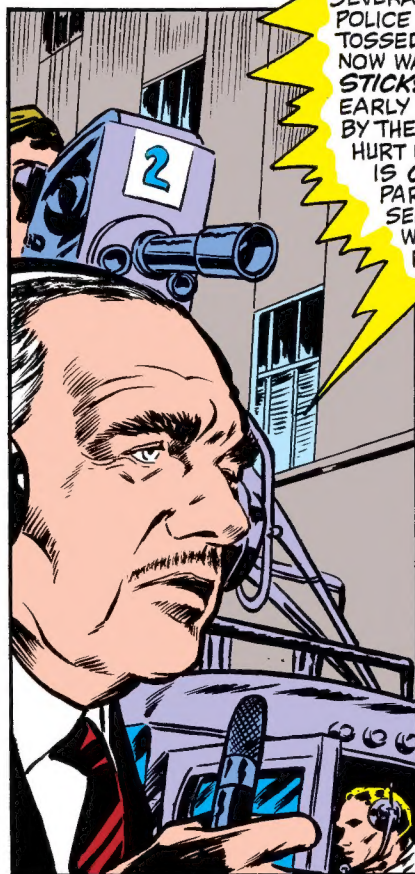
I WOULDN'T LET HIS POLITICS KEEP YOU FROM DOING THE PICTURE WITH HIM! IT MIGHT MAKE YOU A **STAR!** 6

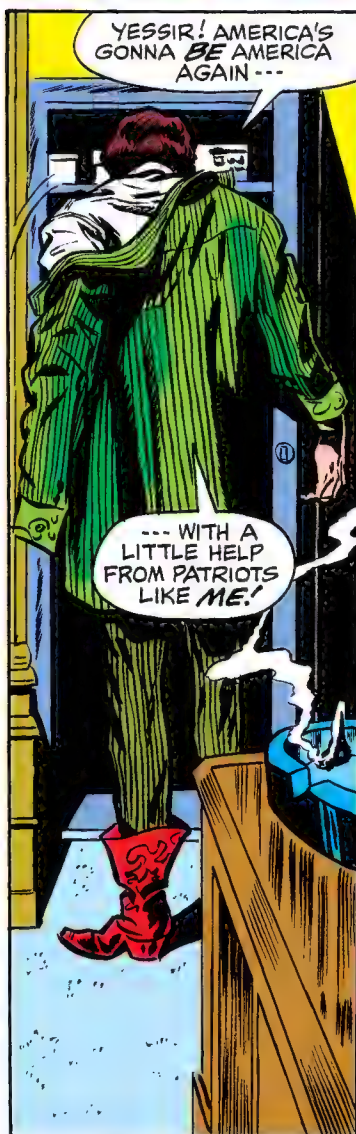
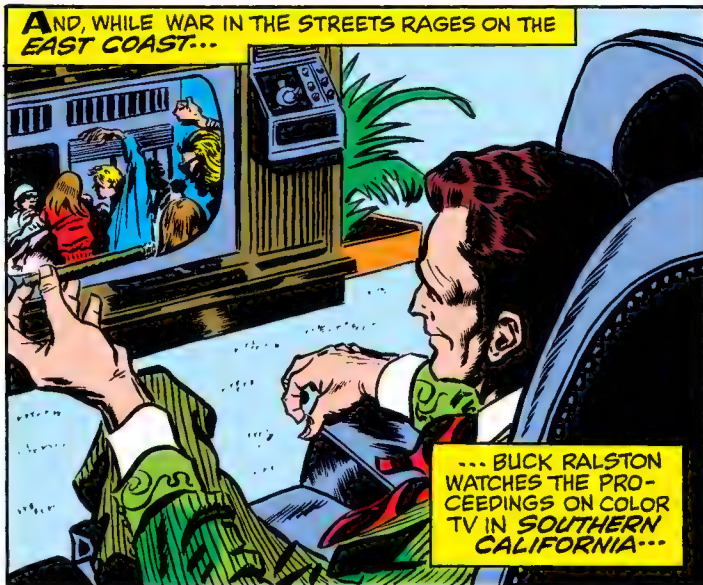






THIS IS **WALTER CRONKITE** SPEAKING TO YOU FROM JUST OUTSIDE THE NEW YORK HILTON HOTEL, WHERE A **BOMB** HAS JUST EXPLODED IN THE MIDST OF POLICE AND SEVERAL HUNDRED **PROTESTERS**. THE POLICE HAVE ASSUMED THE BOMB WAS TOSSED BY PROTESTERS, AND THEY ARE NOW WADING INTO THE CROWD WITH **NIGHT-STICKS** AND **TEAR GAS**! IT'S FAR TOO EARLY TO KNOW HOW MANY WERE **INJURED** BY THE BLAST, OR HOW MANY WILL BE HURT IN ITS **AFTERMATH**, BUT ONE THING IS **CERTAIN**! A TRAGEDY WHICH MAY PARALLEL THAT OF 1968 IN **CHICAGO** SEEMS IN THE MAKING HERE--- AND WE'LL STAY ON THE SPOT TO REPORT IT TO YOU AS IT **HAPPENS**!







BUT TO **DO**
THAT, WE NEED
A **LEADER...**

---SOMEBODY
WHO CAN HANDLE
THE **TRAITORS**
IN THIS COUNTRY---



--- SO THAT THE **GOVERNMENT**'LL
HAVE MORE TIME TO CONCENTRATE
ON THE **WAR** AND THE **ECONOMY!**

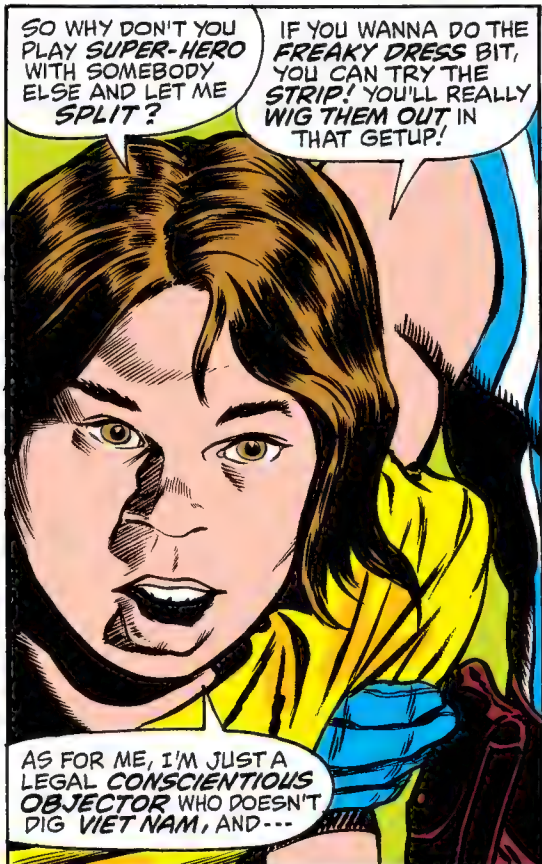
WE NEED A NEW KIND OF
JUDGE... TO DECIDE
WHO'S A **GOOD**
AMERICAN... AND
WHO'S A **ROTTEN**
RED!

AND LUCKY FOR
US, THERE **IS** SUCH
A MAN! HE CALLS
HIMSELF...



THE
TRIBUNE!

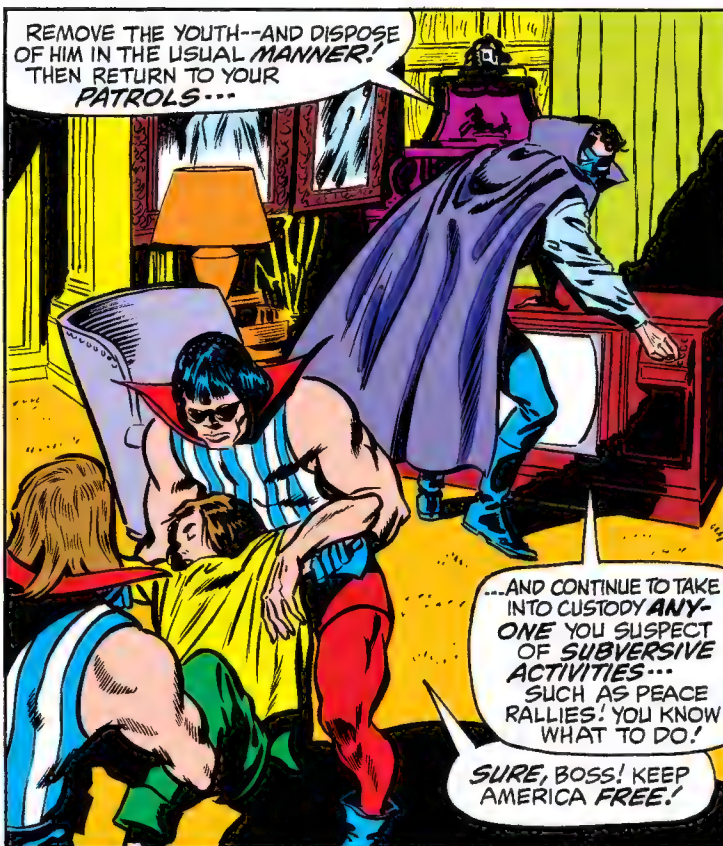
GOD BLESS
AMERICA! BRING
IN THE **ACCUSED!**





JUSTICE IS DONE!

AND THE ROAD TO TRUE DEMOCRACY IS A STEP SHORTER!



REMOVE THE YOUTH--AND DISPOSE OF HIM IN THE USUAL MANNER! THEN RETURN TO YOUR PATROLS---

...AND CONTINUE TO TAKE INTO CUSTODY ANY-ONE YOU SUSPECT OF SUBVERSIVE ACTIVITIES... SUCH AS PEACE RALLIES! YOU KNOW WHAT TO DO!

SURE, BOSS! KEEP AMERICA FREE!



THEN, WHEN THE HOODED FIGURE IS ONCE AGAIN ALONE---



WELL, LOOKS LIKE THINGS ARE GOING JUST PERFECT IN NEW YORK--- EVEN MORE TROUBLE THAN I EXPECTED!

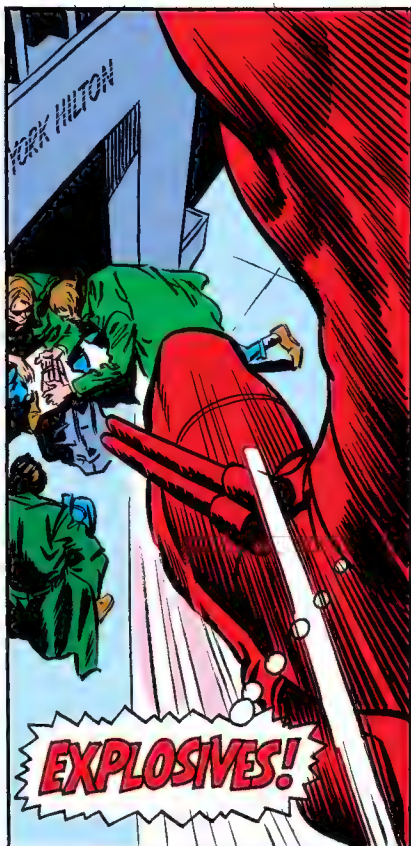
THE WAY THIS RIOT LOOKS, HUNDREDS OF THOSE COMMIE DUPES'LL BE IN JAIL BEFORE TONIGHT'S OVER! MATTER OF FACT, I'M SURE OF IT!

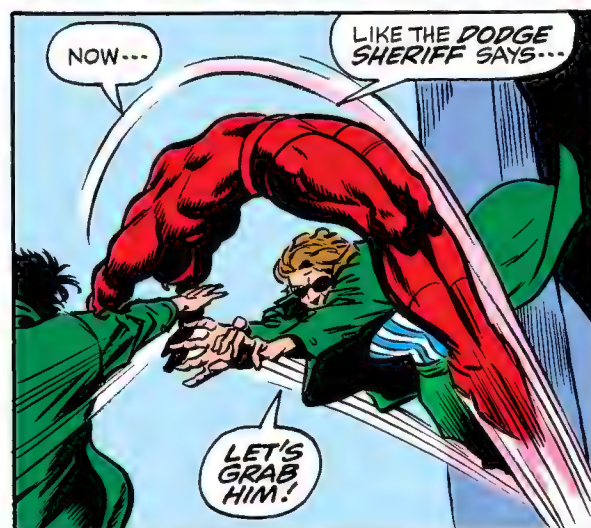


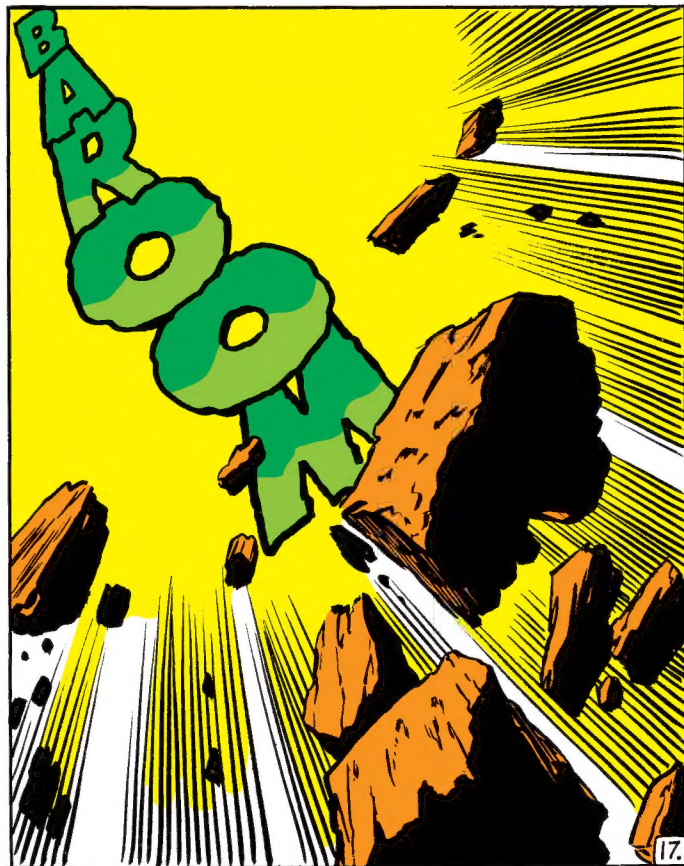
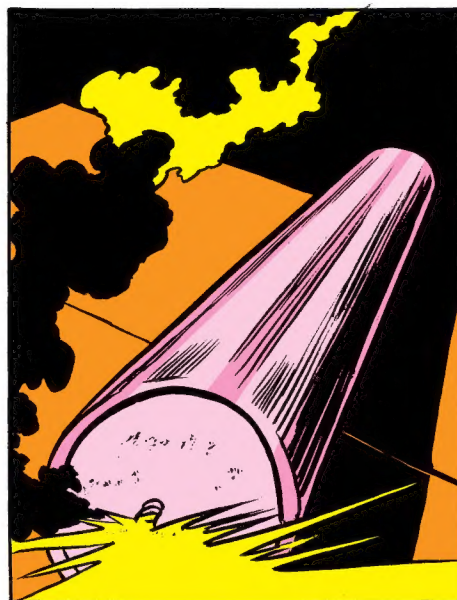
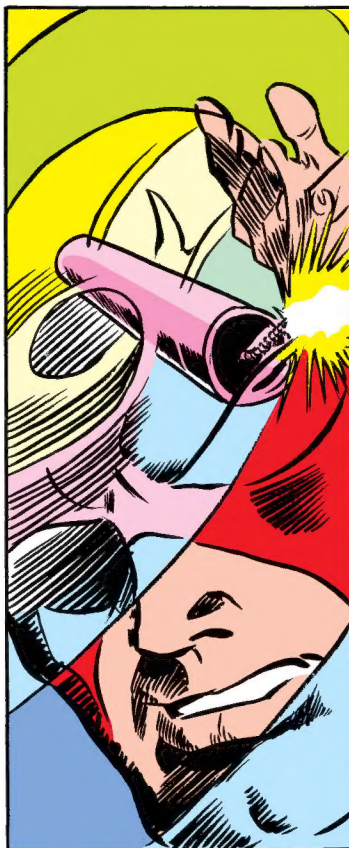
BUT, FOR A MORE ON-THE-SPOT VIEW OF THE CHAOS IN GOTHAM---

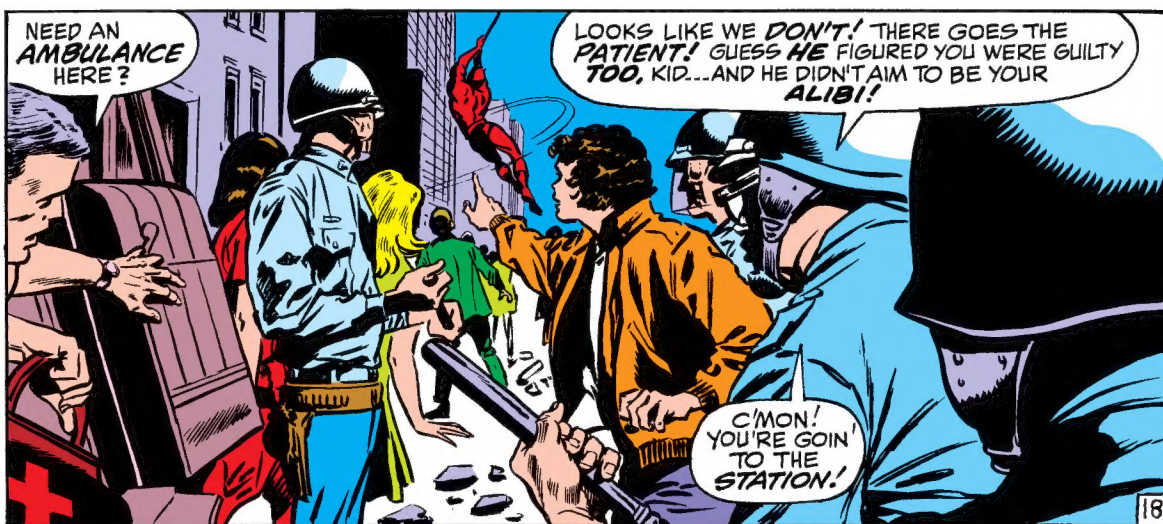
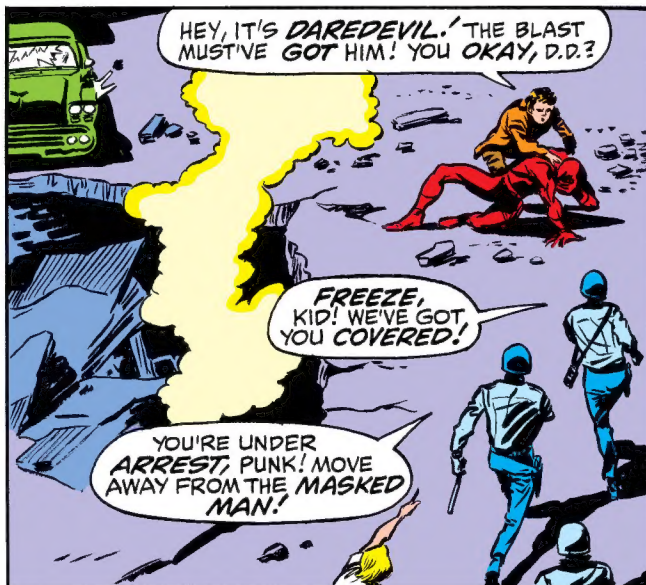
NOW WHERE ARE THEY GOING IN SUCH A HURRY? GOOD TIME TO ROB A BANK---

...BUT THEIR BAGS ARE TOO SMALL FOR MONEY! JUST THE RIGHT SIZE FOR---











THEY'RE TAKIN' ONE KID AWAY, D.A.!

AND HERE ARE **TWO MORE** WE'RE PRETTY SURE WERE **INVOLVED** IN THE BOMBINGS!

HE'S FEEDING YOU A **LINE**, MR. D.A.-- WE WERE **TALKING** TO HIM WHEN THE BOMB WENT OFF!

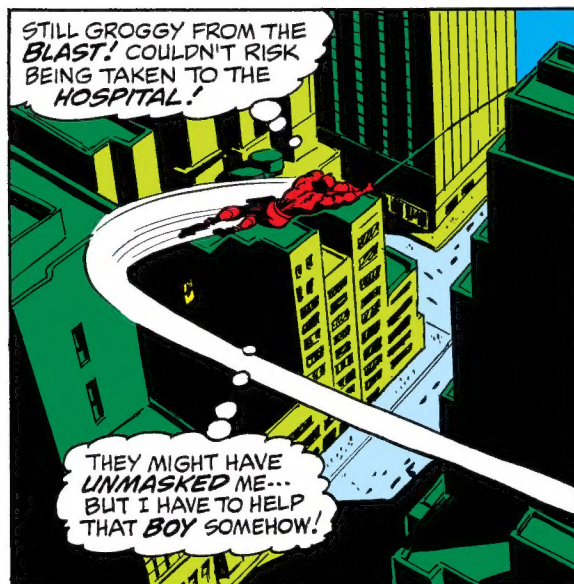
SAVE IT FOR LATER!



ALL RIGHT! WE'LL **DO** THAT, BUT REMEMBER THAT THIS IS **AMERICA**, MAN...

--- AND YOU CAN'T CONVICT US BECAUSE WE WERE **HERE**... OR BECAUSE OUR **HAIR** IS LONG!

YOU NEED **EVIDENCE**! AND YOU DON'T HAVE IT-- BECAUSE WE'RE **INNOCENT**!



STILL GROGGY FROM THE **BLAST**! COULDN'T RISK BEING TAKEN TO THE **HOSPITAL**!

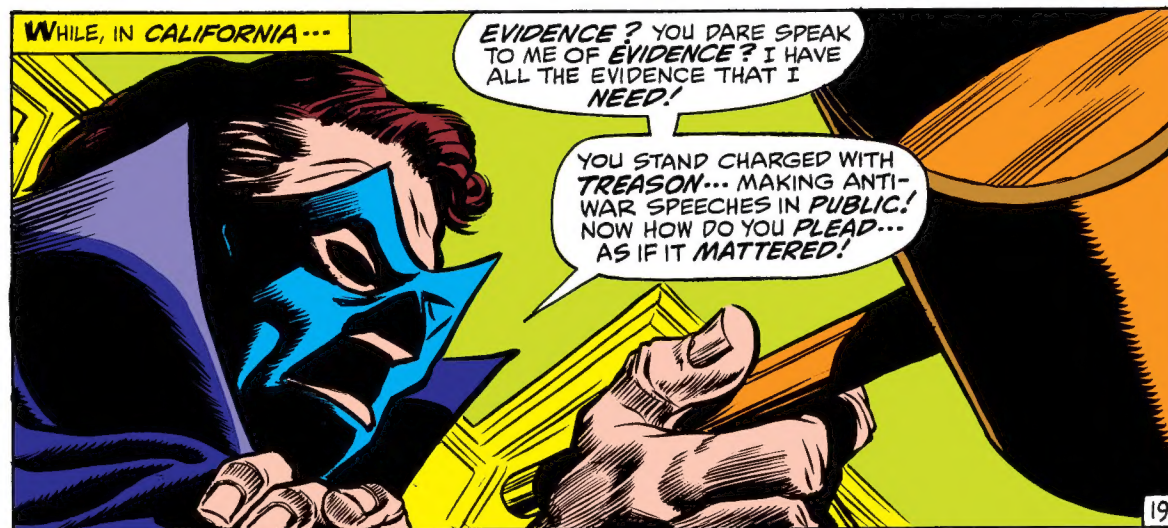
THEY MIGHT HAVE **UNMASKED** ME... BUT I HAVE TO HELP THAT **BOY** SOMEHOW!



ONE THING AT A **TIME**, THOUGH!

FIRST I HAVE TO GET INTO THE **OFFICE** AND MEET **FOGGY** WHEN HE ARRIVES--

--AND EXPLAIN HOW **MATT** COULDN'T CATCH A CAB TO THE **HILTON**!



WHILE, IN CALIFORNIA---

EVIDENCE? YOU DARE SPEAK TO ME OF **EVIDENCE**? I HAVE ALL THE EVIDENCE THAT I **NEED**!

YOU STAND CHARGED WITH **TREASON**... MAKING ANTI-WAR SPEECHES IN **PUBLIC**! NOW HOW DO YOU **PLEAD**... AS IF IT **MATTERED**!

